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P 190556Z MAR 74  
FM AMEMBASSY KUWAIT  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 9068  
SECDEF WASHDC//ISA(SA)/DSAA//  
INFO CMC WASHDC

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: MASS KU  
SUBJ: CHANGE OF DUTY STATUS FOR COL MURPHREE

REF: CMC 161936Z MAR 74

1. REFTEL ANNOUNCED TIMELY CHANGE COL MURPHREE'S STATUS  
FROM TEMPORARY TO PERMANENT DUTY. FOR EIGHT MONTHS COL  
MURPHREE HAS BEEN LIVING OUT OF SUITCASE WITHOUT COMPLAINT.  
I WANT TO EXPEDITE ACTION PROVIDE MURPHREE FAMILY KUWAIT  
HOME APPROPRIATE FOR GRADE AND REPRESENTATIONAL RESPONSI-  
BILITIES SENIOR MILITARY ADVISOR. ACCORDINGLY, ALLOCATION  
OF FUNDS AND FURNITURE SHIPMENT REQUIRED SOONEST.

2. CHRONIC SPIRAL KUWAIT COSTS DIRVES EMBASSY POLICY USG  
LEASE AND FURNISH QUARTERS ALL EMBASSY PERSONNEL. EMBASSY  
HAS NO SPARE FURNITURE OR QUARTERS AVAILABLE; THEREFORE, PROCUREMENT  
REQUIRED. FOLLOWING BUDGETARY ESTIMATES FOR  
QUARTERS, REPRESENTATIONAL COSTS AND OFFICIAL RESIDENCE  
EXPENSES BASED ON CURRENT EMBASSY COSTS EQUIVALENT GRADE,  
POSITION. CHAPTERS 300, 400 STANDARIZED REPS RELATE TO  
LATTER.

3. WITH REGARD TO FURNISHING QUARTERS, PROPOSE PURCHASE  
STATE DEPT DREXEL PACKAGE. DUE TIME FACTOR, REQUEST SHIP VIA  
MILITARY AIR CARGO (C5A/C141) UPON COMPLETION PROCUREMENT  
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4. LOCAL PROCUREMENT ITEMS CONSIST OF FREEZER, REFRIGERATOR, WASHER, DRYER, ELECTRIC RANGE, VACUUM CLEANER, DRAPERIES AND TWO TRANSFORMERS. ABOVE LOCALLY PROCURED AS KUWAIT DEALERS  
RELUCTANT SERVICE OUTSIDE PROCUREMENT ITEMS AND ARAB BOYCOTT PROHIBITS IMPORT OF CERTAIN BRANDS.

5. REQUEST EXPEDITE FUND ALLOCATION BASED ON FOLLOWING BUDGET ESTIMATE:

A. NON-RECURRING COST \$18,670

FURNITURE (14,970)

LOCAL PROCUREMENT ITEMS (3,700)

B. RECURRING COSTS (ANNUAL \$23,100

QUARTERS RENTAL (INCL UTIL)(13,600)

REPRESENTATIONAL (3,600)

OFFICIAL RESIDENCE EXPENSES (6,000)

(NOTE: IF MILITARY AIRCARGO SHIPMENT FURNITURE NOT PROVIDED, ADD \$11,657 (104 PERCENT OF PROCUREMENT COST) FOR SURFACE SHIPMENT. THIS NOT CONSIDERED SUITABLE OPTION.)  
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